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## MR. CAMERON INDUCTED.

The New Presbyterian Pastor Formally Placed in Charge of the Congregation.

It will be remembered that since the time Rev. W. L. Clay severed his connection as pastor of the Presbyterian church here, some two years ago, the congregation has been without a regular minister and the pulpit has been supplied by the Regina Presbytery from time to time. Among those sent by the Presbytery were several whom the congregation felt inclined to call, and it was hoped that the Rev. Mr. Ledingham could have been induced to give up going to the foreign missionary field and take charge of the pastorate, but he found it impossible to alter his purpose, as it had been his main object in life so long. Rev. Mr. Muirhead, of Whitewood, also preached here for a Sabbath, and was extended a call, but as he was already in charge of a large congregation he could not see his way clear to accept it. The Rev. Mr. Cameron, the new pastor, was placed in charge of the congregation about the 1st of June, and has proven himself to be an efficient and energetic worker. Early in July the members and adherents extended to him a call, which was accepted by him and approved of by the Presbytery, at its recent meeting in Qu'Appelle. Rev. J. A. Carmichael, of Regina, and Rev. Arthur Lakesend, who is in charge of a mission near Piapot's reserve, were appointed by the Presbytery to take charge of the induction service.

Pursuant to the announcement read in the church here for the last two Sundays, a meeting of the congregation was held at half past seven o'clock on Monday evening. There was a fairly good attendance of the members and adherents and the church was comfortably filled. The pulpit and platform were tastefully decorated with a large number of flowers and house plants and presented a very artistic appearance.

The service began by singing hymn number 175, "O for a Heart to Serve my God," after which Mr. Carmichael read the second chapter of II Timothy, in which the Apostle Paul exhorts Timothy to constancy and perseverance, and to do the duty of a faithful servant of the Lord in dividing the word aright and staying profane and vain babblings, teaching him whereof to beware and what to follow after, and the way in which he, as a servant of the most high, ought to conduct himself.

After prayer and the singing of hymn 233, "The Church's One Foundation," Mr. Carmichael preached a sermon to the minister, taking as his text Prov. 4th chapter and 23rd verse:—"Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life."

Rev. Mr. Ferrier, pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. Mr. Bowring, of the Baptist church, being present, were invited to sit as corresponding members.

Rev. Mr. Cameron was then called forward and asked the necessary questions, in accordance with the rules of the Presbyterian church, to which satisfactory answers were given.

Rev. A. Lakesend, who was appointed to preach to the congregation, delivered a short sermon on the text, "Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word," St. John 17: 20; after which Mr. Carmichael formally inducted Rev. Mr. Cameron to the charge of the pastorate.

The service closed by singing hymn 208, "Stand Up, Stand Up, for Jesus."

Mr. Cameron was conducted to the door by Mr. R. K. Thomson, where the right hand of fellowship was extended to him by all those present.

Two appropriate solos were rendered during the evening by Mr. Bailey and Mrs. Jas. Rollo, which were much appreciated.

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## BASEBALL MATCH.

An Exciting Game on Monday Afternoon—Moose Jaw Wins.

So far this season sport in general, but especially baseball, has been a little slow in our town, owing, no doubt, to the great excitement caused by the recent Dominion election. In the early part of the season it was almost impossible to get a sufficient number out to have a good practice game, and consequently our boys have to some extent lost that enthusiasm in the game which they have manifested on former occasions. But although the interest taken has not been very encouraging, still several matches have been played at the different country picnics, in which the Buffalo Lake team were victorious. But matters were reversed on Monday afternoon, when the town team were pitted against their old antagonists and true sportsmen, on the public school grounds. Our boys had made up their minds to beat them, and beat them they did, although the score was very even. The game was no doubt the most closely contested one that has been played since the early days. Play began at about three o'clock in the afternoon and continued until after six in the evening. At the close of the nine innings the score stood a tie, each side having made 23 runs. Buffalo Lake then went to bat and scored two runs. Moose Jaw then went in and scored three. The umpire declared Moose Jaw the winner by one run, and as he happened to be an honest farmer no re-count was asked for. The following are the players and their positions:

MOOSE JAW.	BUFFALO LAKE.
W. Simington, pitcher	R. Frank, catcher
J. Hyland, 1st base	G. Tuxford, pitcher
J. Midgley, 2nd base	J. Smith, 1st base
W. Munna, 3rd base	J. McCartney, 2nd base
E. Hall, short stop	F. Latham, 3rd base
J. Findlay, left field	G. Taylor, short stop
H. White, right field	N. Smith, centre field
J. McGregor, right field	D. Gilmour, right field

A tournament has been spoken of and we think the suggestion a good one, if it could be arranged to hold the tournament in connection with the annual C.P.R. employees picnic, as that event would enable the teams to take advantage of the cheap excursion rate. The season being so far advanced it would be impossible to have the teams meet each other in any other way. There are now about half a dozen clubs in Assiniboia, and if the matter was pushed a little a very successful tournament could be held.

## Two Smiles.

The Charlottetown Guardian has been called to task by a contemporary for stating that Aberdeen and Laurier smiled when they first met to confer respecting the new cabinet. The Guardian proves its statement by circumstantial evidence, but so conclusive are its deductions that no one should hereafter doubt the value of proof of that kind. It says: "Both these gentlemen are very courteous and pleasant personages and would naturally smile when they met. On this occasion they met by appointment and we feel quite sure that so polite a gentleman as Lord Aberdeen would greet almost any invited visitor with a smile. Moreover, he was just then in want of a Cabinet, a thing no governor can get along without, and Mr. Laurier was just the man he wanted to build one. And then Laurier had come so quickly when summoned that we fancy Lord Aberdeen may have smiled at his dexterity. Furthermore the governor has been charged with undue severity towards his late lamented chief adviser, and if only for that reason he's mild with Laurier!"

Of course Laurier smiled too. When a man gets just what he wants, after a long, hard struggle, gaining at a bound the summit of his ambition, it puts him in a smiling mood. Lord Aberdeen, an English Liberal, meeting the chief of the Canadian Liberals on this interesting occasion "to devise Liberal things" together, what could they do but smile! All Canada is smiling just now in field and forest, a broad expanse, genial, sunny smile, and smiles are infectious. For all these reasons, only circumstantial it is true, but still convincing, we hold to our opinion that Aberdeen and Laurier smiled.

## Three Protests.

On Wednesday morning election protests were filed by the Liberals against the return of Hugh John Macdonald, member elect for Winnipeg; N. Boyd, member for Marquette; and Dr. Roche, member for the constituency of the petition in each case is that the sitting member may be declared not duly elected or returned, and that it may be declared the election is void. Each petition contains the usual formal allegations of giving money to voters, having teams, supplying liquor, etc., to voters.

In reference to the Winnipeg protest, Mr. Macdonald had nothing to say and could not offer an opinion as to the outcome of it. If he is unelected it is likely that he will contest the constituency again if the party wish to nominate him.

## Dorland—McDougall.

On Thursday afternoon, July 28th, an interesting ceremony was performed in the First Baptist church, Winnipeg, when the nuptial knot which joined two of our young townpeople in marriage, was tied by the Rev. Mr. Grant, in the presence of a few intimate friends. The contracting parties were Mr. P. N. Dorland, C.P.R. mail clerk on this division, and Miss May McDougall, daughter of Mr. Hugh McDougall. The bride was attired in white, carrying a lovely bouquet of the same color. The presents were numerous and included many useful household articles.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorland are both well known and highly respected in Moose Jaw, and have the best wishes of their many friends. They arrived from Winnipeg on Wednesday morning and have taken up their residence on High street, east.

## He Was an Orphan.

Appropos of the numerous applicants for office when there is a change of government, Mr. T. C. Irving, of Brant street, who was for many years election agent and an intimate friend of the ex Liberal Premier, the late Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, tells a good story. One day Mr. Mackenzie called at his office in connection with election matters, when the conversation turned upon Government office seekers. Mr. Irving said: "Mr. Mackenzie, when you were Premier, you must have been pestered with office seekers." "Yes," replied Mr. Mackenzie, "they were more bother than running the government of the country. One day a man who must have been about 60 years of age came seeking a place in the civil service. His principal plea was that he was an orphan. I told him that I could sympathize with him there, because I was an orphan myself."

## The High Commissioner.

On Sir Charles Tupper becoming Premier of Canada, Sir Donald Smith was appointed to the High Commissioner's position in London ever since. He arrived in Montreal early this week. It is understood the object of Sir Donald's visit was partly to talk over matters of the proposed colonial conference, and partly with a view to tendering his resignation as High Commissioner, if there was any indication that the Government desired it. Far from this being the case, it is said Laurier strongly urged Sir Donald to retain the position for the present, which he consented to do. He will return to his duties immediately.

The Toronto Star, before the appointment was made, said editorially: "Hon. Mr. Laurier will do his country great service by permitting Sir Donald Smith to remain as High Commissioner in London. The office is one for which Sir Donald is practically well adapted, and, owing to his intimate relations with the financial magnates of London, he can do great good to those Canadian enterprises which must look to foreign capital for encouragement."

"Already Sir Donald Smith is recognized as being a vast improvement upon his predecessor. The personal wealth of the present High Commissioner precludes any suspicion that he will use the office for his own advancement. Rich and public-spirited, respected by the greatest financial authorities of the world, astute and energetic, it is unlikely that anyone to be compared with him could be suggested as his successor. Probably in a year or two Sir Donald may see fit to retire, and it is generally understood that Mr. Laurier wishes the present High Commissioner to remain where he is as long as he desires."

**YOU'LL FIND IT IN WAGHORN'S GUIDE**

## The Garden Party.

On Monday evening the Ladies Guild of St. John the Baptist church held a very successful garden party at the residence of Mrs. J. T. Simpson, Main street. Although the evening was rather cool for such an event there was a large attendance of young people, and a very enjoyable time was spent. The ladies of the congregation provided an abundance of delicious ice cream, lemonade, fruit, cake and other refreshments which were much appreciated by those present, judging by the way the good things disappeared. The large lawn presented a very beautiful appearance, the trees, flowers, shrubs, etc., being at their best. Excellent music was provided by Messrs. Wm. McCracken (guitar), John Hawkins (violin), and H. Jaggar (piano), who entertained the company by rendering several very appropriate selections. An admission fee of 15 cents was charged and the treasury of the Ladies' Guild was considerably enhanced by the proceeds.

## COMMUNICATIONS.

[The TIMES does not hold itself responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents. Communications written on both sides of the paper are promptly committed to the waste basket. The name of the correspondent must in all cases accompany the letter, not necessarily for publication, but as an evidence of good faith.]

## A Suggestion.

To the Editor of THE TIMES.

In your last issue you refer to the hail storm, which proved so disastrous to a number of our best settlers. I think you have stated the total loss as greater than it really is, but that is immaterial. What is of more consequence is that in nearly every instance, certainly in the majority of cases, there has been a clean wipe out of the whole crop. It is a very great loss and a severe trial to a number of us good settlers as there is in the district, or any part of the North West. Does it not call for action on the part of those who have escaped? Should we not come to their relief and establish a precedent for the future? By timely action a man's crop can be saved from prairie fire, but he cannot avert the consequences of a hail storm. Thanks to Providence it comes but seldom. To ensure one's crop and pay a yearly premium, is a serious burden and is practically inapplicable. Would it not be better to come to the aid of the settlers, not as a matter of charity, but as a rule to be followed whenever a man's crop is destroyed by hail. The extent to which aid should be given will admit of discussion and will doubtless vary according to the circumstances. To begin with, seed for next year's crop and bread for the family should at once be assured, and thus prevent good settlers from leaving the district. Let the matter be thought over by all those who escaped the visitation and when the crop is harvested and assured, let prompt action be taken. In the meantime would it not be well for the president of the Agricultural Society to call a meeting to consider the matter?

WM. WATSON.

July 28th, 1896.

## Rev. Mr. Watson's Plan

To the Editor of THE TIMES.

One subject has been uppermost in all our minds this week, the thought of the calamity and sad disappointment that has befallen so many of our unfortunate farmers, in having their crops destroyed by the hail storm of Thursday July 23rd. Some, I am told, are practically ruined, and so many expressions of heartfelt sympathy have reached my ears from townspeople and country residents alike, that it has occurred to me that there must be many people in the district, who, having escaped the disaster themselves, could wish to show practical sympathy by deed and not by word only, and would wish to have a channel pointed out through which to pour their practical sympathy; for words of sympathy without relief, were it possible to give it, would be like offering a hungry man mustard only without bread and meat. Therefore I would suggest that those who feel moved with sympathy, would resolve, if they have good crops, to share with their distressed brethren by putting aside so many bushels of wheat in proportion to their crop, and when they bring it to the grain buyer, leave it with him as treasure. Perhaps some one can suggest a more practical scheme. I shall be glad if any one can.

Yours faithfully,

WM. WATSON.

The Vicarage, Moose Jaw.











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FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1896.

### THE LUST OF GOLD.

South of the line our American cousins are nicely warming up for a political fight that may perhaps settle the coinage question. In Canada, so far, this issue is foreign, but with the grip monopolists were getting on our politicians, it hid fair to sometime demand consideration. It is another of the many off-springs of protection. There are always men sufficiently far seeing to avail themselves of any advantage, and the difference between gold and silver from a monetary standpoint is simply what these speculators, monopolists and protectionist legislators make it. Commercially there has always been a recognized difference in value as a metal. There is also a very material difference between these two metals and paper, and yet the value of paper is not questioned, simply because on the face of a dollar bill it bears a guarantee that it represents a certain value. So far as the paper itself is concerned it is practically valueless. Gold and silver when coined bears the same guarantee, and yet the one goes at par and the other may bring the amount of its commercial value, but does not generally pay for the manufacture.

The position of the two great parties south of us is pretty clearly defined by Mr. Hugo K. Asher, in a speech lately delivered in San Francisco. The following is an extract:

In this hour of gratification and confidence of success, we turn to the national leaders and the platforms on which they stand. We see the two platforms—the Republican and the Democratic. The first is built on four pillars of gold, set in shifting sand. There are only these four golden pillars to uphold many sagging, old worn-out planks. Upon this shaky platform stands a man, stern, imposing, silent, looking backward to what has been. The platform is strange to him. He didn't assist in making it. He feels the gutter of the gold posts lends no stability to the structure. He took this platform because they gave him none other to stand on. He is there and it is too late to retreat.

On the other hand is the Democratic platform. It, too, is built on four pillars, but they are of sterling silver, set in the solid rock of popular approval. Between the four corner stones crowd a hundred thousand strong Democratic shoulders standing and supporting the platform. Upon this platform stands a man commanding in form, hopeful, active, confident, looking with a brave brow to the future. He knows where he stands. He helped to build that platform and is familiar with every inch of it. He is not a sphinx, silently to stand and be stared at. No, upon his lips is the breathing living fire of eloquence springing from honest convictions. The people are listening to him. Which platform do you think wise men will come to? The one where they can but stare and question, and run the chance of being covered by the ruins of the shaky structure, or the platform of strength, wisdom and success.

The Democrats seem confident they will carry the coming election on this issue, and those who are interested will carefully watch the result.

### HARD ON NELSON.

About the last act of the Tupper Ministry was to recommend a number of barristers in different parts of the country for appointment as Queen's Counsel. The total number recommended was 173, apportioned as follows: Ontario 92, Quebec 39, New Brunswick 22, Nova Scotia 6, Prince Edward Island 2, Manitoba 3, Territories 3, British Columbia 9.

Speaking of these appointments in an editorial under the heading of "Queen's Counsel Galore, the Regins Leader says:

"It was in keeping with the character of the Tupper administration that its last attempted act was an effort to degrade the bar of Canada by making one of the distinguishing marks of honor and ability in the profession a target for ridicule. Orders in Council were passed making Queen's Counsel of one hundred and seventy-three lawyers. To confer the gown of Queen's Counsel upon a barrister, is to put him in line for the Bench. All Canada laughed aloud at Tupper's nominations. If those recommended in other parts were of the stamp of the Territorial lawyers named, it is small wonder the Dominion jeered. We have J. G. Gordon and W. J. Nelson, Moose Jaw; and C. F. Harris, Macleod. The first named is a good citizen, but has made no record in law to entitle him to the honor. The other two are neither respectable lawyers nor respectable citizens;—they are Conservative party heaters of none too good repute. The idea of putting upon these characters any such mark of distinguishing honor is calculated to disgust every lawyer of standing in the country. It is another thing which causes Conservatives as well as Liberals to thank God for the riddance of the Tupper outfit."

"It has been suggested that Mr. Nelson's Q.C.-ship was designed as an appropriate reward for his late services as enumerator—Q(ueer) C(ompiler)."

A newspaper in the interests of the Liberal party will shortly be stated at Moosemin, with E. A. Burbank as editor and manager.

A notice in *The News* says: "Jack O'Neil, of Medicine Hat, is willing to spar ten rounds with any man in Manitoba or the North-West Territories, of his own weight—135 lbs.—for \$100 to \$400." Come, "Tough," get in trim.

Regina Board of Trade has been invited to co-operate with the British government, through the London chamber of commerce, to prepare colonial exhibits for the international exhibition to be held in Brussels, Belgium, in 1897.

An analysis of the new House of Commons shows that 99 members elected were not in the last parliament; fifteen of these, however, sat in previous parliaments. There are, therefore, eighty-four men quite new to parliamentary life.

The Toronto *World* has begun to agitate for a Dominion Conservative convention, with a view to the reorganization of the Conservative party. Mr. McLean had better go easy or Sir Charles will be riding him out of the party ranks as he did some of the anti-remedialists.

Reuben Fax, the Canadian comic vocalist, who is now in Australia, with the Palmer Company of New York, has received the highest complement of any actor who has yet visited that country, being the first actor who was ever known to receive an invitation to the Government house to luncheon with Lord and Lady Brassey.

A new match manufacturing concern has been established at Buckingham, Quebec, to be known as the McLaren Match Co. The company is understood to be composed of the five McLaren brothers, sons of the late James McLaren, who was largely interested in timber limits and lumbering industries in various parts of Canada. A large lumbering interest of the estate is located at Buckingham.

It is reported that Montana is suffering from drought, and the grain is all being cut for green feed, the little there is of it. Stock owners are becoming alarmed, as the hay crop will be a total failure, the grass being withered up by the hot winds which have prevailed there for weeks past. In other Western States, where crop prospects were excellent a week ago, a plague of grasshoppers has come in and they are devouring everything. Verily the lot of the agriculturist is a hard one.

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## : R. BOGUE :

Stuart Livingston, a young Hamilton lawyer, who was made a Q. C. by the late government for political services, gives this explanation of how the extraordinary list of Queen's Counsel came to be formulated: "There has been much complaint for some time past about the large number of lawyers in Canada, whose claims to the title of Q. C. were steadily ignored. It even reached the ears of the Queen herself, because she wrote to the government requesting that more Q. C.'s be appointed. In fact I saw the letter myself, and it was signed 'Victoria Regina.' Her Majesty is indeed a busy woman if this legal gentleman tells the truth."

Mr. E. G. Woodward, the defunct editor of *THE TIMES*, seems to have found a friend to espouse his cause in the Young man of the Calgary *Herald*, who happens to be a brother-in-law of the deceased. The *Herald* says it hasn't yet expressed its own opinion, but it attempts to vindicate the action of the buried editor by trying to make out that the Regina *Leader* lease was a similar transaction. As the subject is one which is very humiliating to *THE TIMES*, we do not wish to discuss it, and will only say that for our part we cannot see any similarity whatever between the two deals; but supposing there was, would it make poor Woodward's conduct any better?

A young sprig of a doctor, named Freeborn, was put on the platform at the recent Twelfth of July celebration at Goderich to deliver an oration, and judging from the report of his speech, he made a fool of himself. *The Signal* takes him off very neatly when it says: "Frothy Freeborn appears to be troubled with a flux of language, a dearth of ideas, and a hankering after recognition as a silver-toned spell binder. Monday last he talked himself as dry as a lime-kiln and shouted for 'Water!' The only response he got, however, was from a keen-witted son of Donegal, who had voted for Kilty on the 23rd of June, and who said, 'Listen to that devil av a wind-mill from Clinton wantin' to be driven by water.'"

The Ottawa *Journal* tenders to Her Majesty's loyal Opposition this chunk of wholesome advice:—"As to the second way of looking at the prospective protests, namely the Conservative interests, The *Journal* fancies that if the leaders really intend to try them they are showing a queer political shortsightedness. Consider the situation. On June 23rd the Conservative party, although possessed of power, of money, of prestige and of control of electoral machinery, lost some forty constituencies throughout Canada out of about 130 which they previously held. In face of such a terrific blast of public opinion, the Conservative leaders—those same leaders and on the same platform—propose now, without power, without money, without prestige, without control of electoral machinery, to attempt at once to gain a wholesale reversal of public opinion. Well 'c'est magnifique'—perhaps, but certainly 'ce n'est pas la guerre'—and if the protests are made and tried and result in new elections, The *Journal* will gamble on the prophecy that the Liberal whips will have to quit trying to keep Liberal members in Parliament on the right of the Speaker, for there will not be enough Conservatives in the House of Commons to occupy the front row on the opposite side."

### Stony Beach.

Crops in this settlement are looking fine, most of the grain being fairly well filled. If weather continues favorable harvesting will commence about 10th of August. It is expected that wheat will yield between thirty and forty bushels to the acre and oats about fifty.

Hay operations are well advanced in these parts, most of the farmers having finished cutting.

In the early part of this season, Stony Beach was unfortunate in having no Sunday services, but now we are making up for lost time, as we have two services each week. Mr. McLeod, of Lumsden preaches in the school house each Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock, and at 2:30 in the afternoon Rev. Jos. Robinson holds a service at the same place.

Although our former school master has been at Pioneer for some time, he still likes to give us a quiet visit once and a while, notwithstanding the difficulty he has to contend with in crossing the creek at high water time.

Our town has been visited regularly for two weeks past, by three prominent Moose Jawites, who have been the guests of Mr. Porter.

Mr. John Fleury has finished his summer following.

Miss Fletcher is visiting her parents here.

Stony Beach Patrons of Industry held their regular meeting in the school house, on Wednesday, July 22nd. There was a large attendance, and the principal business transacted was in regard to binder twine supply for this fall. HAWKEYE.

### Hay Making.

Most of our native grasses are propagated mainly by creeping root-stocks that spread under ground the same as a strawberry does above ground, and the white roots we see on such grass are not roots at all. The native rye grass which has been freely cultivated at Virden, is one of the best of our native grasses. What is generally called red top is, as a rule, the grass known to botanists as fowl meadow grass, is propagated almost entirely by seed, and makes a nice sweet hay. There is very little of the true red top in our hay meadows, but it does well in rather wet ground, and makes capital hay when well cured. For a month after the middle of July is the best time to cut. The substance is then well compacted and the straw has not had time to degenerate into woody fibre. It is worse than wasted time to cut hay when wet with either rain or dew. If cured at all it cures badly. The quicker it can be handled the better. Cut in the forenoon, and rake into windrows either the same night or next forenoon, if you want the full value of the crop. Hay bleached by sun and rain is not worth half price. It may generally need to be put in small coils for a day or two, but by skillful management in light breezy weather it can almost be stacked direct from the windrows without risk of heating afterwards. It will have a nice green color, a sweet smell and an attractive flavor. For farmers who have dairy cows to winter, such a style of curing is indispensable, and it is equally important that calves should have the very best of hay. There is not so many skeletons lying around now when spring season comes, but there are still a few, and this kind of wintering is generally seen on a farm where the boss believes that if a beast has plenty to eat it will find some good and trample on the rest. A beast is better nourished on one ton of sweet, well cured hay, along with what it can pick from a straw stack, than with three tons of the tasteless rubbish that some people call hay.

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**A Temperance Psalm.**  
A stands for Alcohol; deathlike its grip.  
B for Beguineer who takes just one sip.  
C for Companion, who urges him on.  
D for the Demon of drink that is born.  
E for Endeavor he makes to resist.  
F stands for Friends who loudly insist.  
G for the guilt he afterwards feels.  
H for the Horror that hangs at his heels.  
I his intention to drink not at all.  
J stands for Jeering that follows his fall.  
K for a Knowledge that he is a slave.  
L stands for Liquors his appetites crave.  
M for convivial Meetings so gay.  
N stands for No that he tries hard to say.  
O for the Orgies that then come to pass.  
P for the Pride that he drowns in his glass.  
Q for the Quarrels that nightly abound.  
R stands for Ruin that hovers around.  
S stands for Sights that his vision bedim.  
T for the Trembling that seizes his limbs.  
U for his Usefulness sunk in the slum.  
V for the Vagrant he quickly becomes.  
W for Waning of life that's soon done.  
X for his X's regretted by none.  
YOUTH of this nation, such weakness is crime  
Zealously turn from the tempter in time!

**Papa, How are you going to Vote?**  
"Say, papa, how are you going to vote?"  
"Twas a child's bright word and he could  
not note  
How the red blood mantled his father's  
face  
As he clasped the wee one in close embrace:  
But he prattled on in his childish glee,  
"Say, papa, why won't you vote for me?"  
Out of the door trotted the father fast,  
And never a glance behind him cast,  
As on to his place at the polls he went;  
But the words the boy spoke were surely  
meant  
By God above to follow him there,  
For they haunted his steps like a mother's  
prayer.  
"Vote for me, papa," the bells rang out;  
"Vote for me," sounded the school-boy's  
shout  
"Vote for me," came from the rum-seller's  
door  
In the oaths he had never thus heard before;  
At last, with a smile he whispered low:  
"If I vote for my boy I can vote only No."  
—Katharine Lente Stevenson.

**The Bicycle Girl's Soliloquy.**  
To ride, or not to ride, that is the ques-  
tion;  
Whether 'twere better to cast aside all  
bride  
And don the bloomers, appearing thus with  
man  
In public thoroughfare, his equal now.  
And boldly self-assertive, challenge all who  
pass  
To criticize the manish sport, the loss of  
grace,  
Or to cling to petticoats, and stay at home.  
For a surety there are joyous parties form-  
ed  
To go a pleasuring, in which I bear no part.  
But then, to ride, to fall, perchance  
To break one's wheel! Aye, there's the rub!  
Or to encounter wicked brewery carts  
Bent on the destruction of the highway  
plague.  
I fear I tremble: 'tis gruesome, but to  
think of it.  
Still, what is there left to do since all girls  
ride?  
I'll do it. I'll be brave. 'Twas but yester-  
er's I saw.  
Glancing from my window, who but Tom,  
Riding with that Smithers' girl, forgetting  
me.  
Hush! softly now! I'll steal away and take  
a lesson  
If all goes well, another week will see me  
by his side.  
Farewell to ancient prejudices, we need  
them not.  
And thus I say farewell!  
—Baltimore Herald.

**After Twenty-one Years.**  
H. B. Round, of Edmonton, one of  
the oldest officials in the Hudson Bay  
service, was a visitor to Winnipeg last  
week after an absence of twenty-one  
years. Mr. Round expected to see  
much improvement in the progress of  
the city since he left on horse back  
in 1875 for the northern country, but  
the appearance of the city is wonder-  
ful to him after such a long absence.  
He has been in the Mackenzie river  
and Athabasca lake country for years.  
Mr. Round in the early '70s conducted  
Hon. Henry Somerset and party  
across the Rockies to the Pacific coast  
from Winnipeg, during which journey  
of five months duration material was  
collected for the work "The Land of  
the Muskeg," by Hon. Henry Som-  
erset.

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tor* is called the Midsummer Number,  
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brilliant feature of its illustrated  
fashions. The vastly improved quality  
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*The Delinctor* is attested anew by  
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and authorities as Prof. Xavier Schar-  
wenka, Julia Magruder, and Mary  
Cadwalader Jones. The first named  
discusses music as a profession for  
women; Miss Magruder's novelette,  
"The Serpent and the Dove," is  
brought to a satisfactory conclusion;  
while Mrs. Jones writes entertainingly  
on the Virtue of Simplicity. Women  
longingly considering the fascination  
of the wheel will read attentively what  
Prof. C. A. Von Randohr has to say  
upon the medical aspect of cycling.  
Of allied interest is Dr. F. J. Levison's  
"Talks on Beauty," this month devoted  
to the hair. Carolyn Halsted con-  
tinues her series on American Women's  
Patriotic Societies, and Frances Leed's  
paper on Interior Decoration is de-  
voted to libraries. Emma Haywood clear-  
ly explains the construction of em-  
broidered wall-pockets, and contributes  
a fourth article on the Mysteries of  
Ecclesiastical Embroidery. H. C. Wood  
gives an amusing description of "A  
New Woman's Party," Mrs. A. B. Long-  
street adds a timely warning in regard  
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### The Fire Guard Machine.

The Canniff patent prairie fire guard  
and stubble burning machine was on ex-  
hibition at the Winnipeg fair last week.  
Orders for the machine have been re-  
ceived from the following: Two for  
the use of the Indian Department of  
the North West; one for the North-  
West Government; one for the Al-  
berta Railway and Coal Company, and  
one for the Battle River Agricultural  
Society. It is understood that a com-  
pany is being formed to buy the patent  
rights and manufacture the machines,  
in which several prominent Winnipe-  
gers will be interested.

The following description of the  
machine and the mode of operating it  
is taken from the *Nor-West Farmer*:  
"Prairie fires are amongst the worst  
terrors of the new settler, and any in-  
vention likely to successfully cope with  
their ravages must be welcome. Some  
time since the North-West Assembly  
offered a substantial money award to  
the maker of a really good invention.  
Mr. E. Canniff, of Grenfell, took the  
matter up, and after protracted study  
and experiment has succeeded in put-  
ting together a really workable ap-  
pliance that goes a very long way in-  
deed to meet the difficulty.  
"As it now stands it looks at first  
very much like a rabbit hutch built of  
iron. It is 30 ft. long, 8 ft. wide, 2 ft.  
in perpendicular height at the sides,  
rising in the centre to 5 ft. It is built  
in ten different sections, each built of  
sheet steel, each ribbed on the back  
with angle iron, and each running on  
an iron shoe. The coupling is done at  
the shoes only, the rest of the machine  
telescoping freely, so that on uneven  
ground the fire will always be kept in-  
side. The fire is started and kept up  
by means of two long narrow grates  
filled with asbestos which has been  
soaked with railroad oil and which will  
burn a good time without being re-  
plenished.  
"The whole outfit is drawn by a  
chain and whiffletree, and leaves be-  
hind it a black track eight ft. wide.  
The front is closed down with sheet  
iron, all but a few inches next the  
ground and through which the air goes  
to provide a draught to the fire inside.  
A little back of the fire is a sheet of  
iron that goes to keep the fire down,  
compelling it to draw backward in-  
stead of upward. Nearer the rear a  
chain runs across to rub of the ashes  
and ensure a thorough burning close to  
the ground in places where the grass  
is thick. Along the ridge of the ma-  
chine is a six-inch opening to let out  
smoke. In going over uneven ground  
or badger holes the indraught of the  
air to the fire keeps it from reaching  
out sideways, and the thoroughness of  
the burning is regulated by the speed  
at which the apparatus is drawn. Dry  
clumps of manure would go on burning  
after the machine had passed over them,  
and this can also be guarded against  
by a boy walking behind with a  
wet sack or watering pan to put the  
fire out. Still further to guard against  
the risk of fire getting out side-  
ways, a broad strip of wet rawhide is  
fastened to the edge of the machine  
and spread out on the ground alongside.  
"On the whole this looks like a  
reliable working machine, not likely to  
get out of order, and if kept oiled or  
painted will last many years and do  
good work. Two horses will draw it,  
with two men to give the necessary  
attendance."

### The Ten Commandments—Cream- ery Version.

1. Thou shalt not slumber late in  
the morning, but shalt arise early and  
deliver thy milk to the factory for he  
that goeth late causeth the butter  
maker to use much profane language.

2. Thou shalt not cast all the dirt  
thou canst brush of the cow into the  
bucket.

Though shalt not take any cream for  
thy tea or coffee, for when thou gettest  
thy dividends, one shall say to another,  
"why taketh it more milk here for a  
pound of butter than at any other  
creamery?" Then shall the butter  
maker rise and hold thee up to ridicule  
with the Badcock rotary test.

4. Thou shalt not mix water with  
thy milk, thou nor thy man servant  
nor thy hired girl, for so surely as thou  
doest this thing, thy name shall be  
Dennis over the length and breadth of  
the whole milk route.

5. Thou shalt not feed thy cows too  
much potatoes, onions, mustard, horse-  
radish or bad cabbage, for these feeds,  
though they be cheap as all out doors,  
causeth the butter maker to nash his  
teeth exceedingly and the butter eater  
to buy his butter some where else.

6. Thou shalt not set thy can of  
nights milk in the cellar with the cover  
off in order to use it for a trap to catch  
rats and mice therein, neither in the  
wood shed as a temptation to thy  
neighbor's cat.

7. Though shalt not carry away  
more skim milk or butter milk than  
thy share, lest some shall say concern-  
ing thee, "For a wonder one hog  
carrieth food to another."

8. Thou shalt not use unclean cans  
but shalt cause thy cans to be washed  
every day and the seams and crevices  
thereof, for a filthy can is abominable  
in the butter makers sight, and he will  
visit wrath upon him who bringeth it.

9. Thou shalt not trouble the butter  
maker saying, "When shall I receive  
my pay," for verily I say unto thee, he  
knoweth not neither careth a little bit.

10. Thou shalt not say one unto  
another, "Lo, behold have not these  
milk haulers a soft snap? They re-  
ceive much pay and work not very  
hard at all." Verily I say unto thee,  
this is a whopper. They rise early and  
toil much, and peradventure the board  
of directors refuseth to buy another  
separator, they will be obliged to toil  
Sunday morning when other people  
are fanning themselves within the  
gates of the synagogue.—Alden, Iowa,  
Times.

### Buffalo Lake Scraps.

A great change has come over this  
country since Un Fernier wrote last.  
The Conservative Government has been  
overthrown and the Liberals will now  
take their place. The election in this  
constituency has not been settled yet.

On Wednesday, 15th, the Buffalo  
Lake foot ball eleven, with Geo. Tux-  
ford as captain and R. C. Randall as  
umpire, went to Pense to play the  
much talked of match with Mr. Spring-  
Rice's team. After a long drive of  
about thirty-five miles they arrived at  
the well-managed farm of Messrs.  
Spring-Rice Bros., and took great  
pleasure in looking over the splendid  
buildings of these gentlemen. After  
the boys had a good rest and a good  
supper to fortify them for the struggle  
the match started, and after an evenly  
contested game of one and one-half  
hours, in which both sides played  
splendidly, notwithstanding the heat,  
the game was a draw, each side having  
scored on goal. All were unanimous  
in saying that it was the best game  
they had played for a long time. The  
evening was pleasantly spent with  
songs, etc., etc., and next morning the  
Buffalo Lake boys went home. A re-  
turn match is, I understand, going to  
come off shortly.

Most of the Buffalo Lake ladies were  
fortunate enough in getting a good  
supply of berries this summer, although  
I don't think they were as plentiful as  
other years.

We have had a few nice showers of  
rain lately that have helped the crops  
immensely. The grain sown on sum-  
mer-fallow is very good; that sown on  
stable is not so good.

The weed inspector is on the war-  
path. I don't think he will find many  
noxious weeds around here.

Mrs. Watson and family, of Moose  
Jaw, visited Ravine Cottage for a  
short time.

Mr. Hugh Gilmour and sisters re-  
turned from visiting the Winnipeg ex-  
hibition.

Most of the summer fallow has been  
done. There has been a large acreage  
ploughed this summer.

The mosquitoes are still alive. It is  
not often we have had such a lot of  
them as we have had this summer.

I understand we are going to have a  
fire patrol stationed at Mr. Moffatt's.  
I am afraid he will have lots to do,  
owing to the great growth of grass.

The price of wheat is on the down-  
ward path now. I hope it will take a  
turn before the fall.

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The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1896.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Supt. Milestone took a trip east this week.

Mr. A. M. Fenwick has returned home from the Capital.

Seymour Green returned home on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Jas. McLean, of Pasqua, was in town this week.

Mrs. Jos. Lett, of Parkburg, visited Moose Jaw this week.

Mr. Hugh Scott, section foreman at Caron, arrived in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Baker arrived home from Winnipeg on Wednesday.

Messrs. Ernest Moorhouse and Ben. Reid paid Regina a short visit last week.

The Buffalo Lake and Pense football teams play at the Lake this afternoon.

Mr. H. Sanderson, section foreman at Rouleau, is at present in town under doctor's care.

Mr. T. W. Robinson expects to leave for the east on Monday next on an extended business trip.

Mr. Geo. Holdsworth, of the C.P.R., arrived home from Banff on Saturday, completely restored to health.

Mr. F. Walker, of the train despatches office, Winnipeg, has been transferred to the Moose Jaw office.

Mrs. Walter Scott returned to Regina yesterday evening, after a month spent with friends here.

Mr. Chas. Armstrong gave a dance to his friends on Wednesday night. A number of townspeople were present.

Thos. Adair and Thos. Colan, of Toronto, and R. G. Bromley, of Winnipeg, registered at the dining hall on Tuesday.

Mr. J. T. Simpson has disposed of his lumbering business to Mr. H. McDougall, and will remove shortly to the Kootenay district.

On Wednesday about sixteen farmers joined in a ploughing bee on the farm of Mrs. Maynard, whose husband died a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson, of Edgeley Farm, near Qu'Appelle Station, returned home on Sunday, after a two week's visit with their parents here.

Mr. Thos. Franks narrowly escaped being severely injured by his horse stumbling in a badger hole, while he was riding home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. C. G. Neff, late of Bilton Bros., merchant tailors, Toronto, who has been engaged as coat maker by W. N. Mitchell, arrived in town yesterday morning.

The Rev. Wm. Watson will conduct Divine service at St. John's church, English Village, next Sunday morning, August 2nd, at 10:30 o'clock, and at 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

Owing to being unable to complete the arrangements with the C.P.R., the proposed farmers' excursion to the Experimental Farm at Indian Head has been put off until next year.

Mrs. A. Curran, who resides near Moose Jaw, is seriously ill. Her daughter, Mrs. Geo. McTaggart, arrived from Fleming a few days ago, and several other members of her family are here from Dakota.

An excursion left the past for the Canadian North-West on July 21st, good for 60 days, at the following rates: Deloraine, Boston, Estevan, Bismarck, Mooseomin, \$22.00; Regina, Moose Jaw, Yorkton, \$30.00; Calgary, Prince Albert, \$35.00; Red Deer, Edmonton, \$40.00.

Mr. Ed. Nait, of Winnipeg, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Slater returned home on Wednesday morning.

Insp. Rothwell, of Regina, is inspecting schools in this district.

The members of the lawn tennis club now enjoy a five-o'clock-tea once a week.

Mr. J. H. Ross arrived in town on Monday and returned to Regina yesterday evening.

Money to loan on town property at a low rate of interest. Apply to SEYMOUR GREEN, Moose-Jaw. 4-7.

A telegraphic despatch from Toronto says that the C.P.R. have arranged to operate the Prince Albert branch line for five years from August, 1896.

The populist convention, held at St. Louis last week, unanimously endorsed the Bryan Democratic candidate for Presidential honors in the next United States election.

Dr. Jameson, of South African fame, has been found guilty of violating the foreign enlistment act, and was sentenced to fifteen months' imprisonment without labor.

Harold Jackson and Fred England drove up from Regina on Saturday, to be in attendance at the farewell meeting in the Salvation Army barracks here on Sunday. They returned home Monday afternoon.

The Assiniboia Agricultural Society, of Regina, has decided not to hold a fall fair this year. Indeed the opinion is in favor of annual summer shows in future, instead of fall fairs, and the new arrangement will begin in 1897.

The farmers residing between Moose Jaw and Pasqua desire to thank the C.P.R. for the timely caution they have shown in burning the right of way between those two places, and thus preventing the starting of prairie fires by the locomotive engines.

It is reported that a gentleman boarder of the Ottawa Hotel, took two young ladies for a drive to the farm of R. H. W. Holt, about two miles south of town, and succeeded in losing his way. However, he managed to be on hand at breakfast time next morning.

Dr. Tullock, of the Mounted Police, who has been stationed at Wood Mountain for the past year has been transferred to Regina. Const. Aird drove out after him on Tuesday and came to town on Thursday, making the trip from Wood Mountain to Moose Jaw in eleven hours, beating all previous records.

**Medicine Hat News:** Last week some Indians found a human skeleton in one of the ravines on the Bull Head, near Dunmore. There is no doubt but that this is the skeleton of the girl who was lost from Dunmore and of whom no traces were ever found, although the most diligent search was made at the time by various searching parties.

After a stay of about five months Capt. McKay and Lieut. Magee, of the Salvation Army have received marching orders. Capt. McKay left for Calgary Wednesday morning, and Lieut. Magee goes home to Salmon Arm, B.C., on furlough. The corps here is now in charge of Capt. Wilson, of Minot, and Lieut. Swain, of Mooseomin.

The members of the Toronto Board of Trade have made arrangements with the C.P.R. to run an excursion to the British Columbia gold mining districts. The date is fixed for August 10th, and the fare will be \$100 to Revelstoke and return; but if a sufficient number take advantage of the opportunity afforded to inspect the gold fields, in all probability the fare will be reduced.

On Tuesday next there will be some big shipments of stock leave here for the Old Country. Mr. W. Rutherford takes six cars of sheep and five cars of fat cattle with him to Glasgow. Mr. James Hargrave and D. Sisson leave the same day with eighty head apiece. Mr. Jas. Mitchell goes with two carloads of cattle, and Mr. J. F. Sanderson with three carloads. The sheep taken by Mr. Rutherford are from the Little Plume company, Mr. P. Robertson, and Mr. Naismith, of Moose Jaw. Mr. Jas. Mitchell will leave Scotland, after disposing of his cattle, for the Argentine Republic in South America.—**Medicine Hat News.**

**BIRTH.**  
STEVENSON.—On Monday, July 27th, the wife of J. K. Stevenson, of a son.

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**40 YEARS THE STANDARD.**

There was a nice shower of rain yesterday afternoon.

The work of grading Manitoba and Main streets is well under way.

Mrs. Thos. Wright has returned home from visiting friends in Brandon.

Mrs. D. Rollo and Miss Maul left for Winnipeg this week, and will spend a month there before returning.

Miss Alice McDonald, of the C.P.R. dining hall, left on Monday evening for a visit with friends in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Burnett is spending a few weeks on the rancho of Furniss, & Burnett, about twenty miles from Chaplin.

Mr. Ed. Hunt, of the C. P. R. despatches staff, left for the Winnipeg hospital on Friday last. Mr. Hunt is suffering from an attack of fever.

Work on the new brick residence of Engineer Glasford is progressing rapidly. The walls are completed and work on the roof is fairly well advanced.

Dr. Sizs, of Regina, was in town on Wednesday and Thursday last. He left for Estevan yesterday evening, and will not return for about two weeks.

Mr. John Rutherford, of the C.P.R., accompanied by his wife and child, left on a month's furlough for San Francisco, Portland and other Californian cities.

Mr. M. McCauley is the Patron candidate for the Edmonton seat in the local Assembly, lately vacated by Mr. Oliver. M.P. He will be opposed by Mr. A. C. Rutherford, of South Edmonton.

Rev. Mr. McLeod, who has been in charge of the Presbyterian pulpit here for the last three Sabbaths, left for his home in Sinitula on Tuesday evening. Mr. McLeod is father-in-law to the new Presbyterian pastor.

The rye harvest began on the Indian Head Experimental Farm early this week, and the barley will be ready for the reapers about the first of August. Wheat is well advanced.

The annual festival of St. John the Baptist's Sunday school will be held on Sunday, August 9th. In addition to the ordinary services there will be a special service at three o'clock in the afternoon.

John Clark, the newly elected Liberal member for North Reg, died on Monday at his home near Owen Sound. He was a man of magnificent physique, and his death has caused the greatest surprise throughout Ontario.

The local treasurer of the Bishop Burn Memorial Fund (Rev. Wm. Watson) begs to acknowledge receipt of subscriptions of 50c. and under amounting in the aggregate to \$9.25. Additional subscriptions will be gladly received.

The extreme of luxury has perhaps been reached by the Sultan of Morocco. He has a narrow gauge railway run through all the rooms of his palace, and travels about on a sort of sleigh propelled by a little motor. The "line" ends in his bedroom.

Regina Woman's Council held a very successful meeting on Thursday evening of last week, which was presided over by Mrs. Mackintosh, wife of Lieut.-Governor Mackintosh. Among those who delivered addresses were Mr. N. F. Davin and J. K. McInnis.

Seventy employees of the Public Works Department were dismissed on Wednesday by Hon. Mr. Tarte, Minister of that department, who acted on the advice of the superintendent of the Government work shops. The men dismissed were extras put on during the progress of the election, and the superintendent reported that there was nothing for them to do.

Large quantities of binder twine have been received by the local dealers who are making preparations to be in readiness for the coming harvest. It is expected that more twine than usual will be required this year owing to the great growth of the wheat. The retail price is 10 1/2 cts per pound, but the Patrons of Industry have secured about 70,000 pounds at a greatly reduced price.

A wedding ceremony was performed in Winnipeg, at St. Andrew's church, on Wednesday morning, July 15th, the participants being Mr. Jno. McKay, of the Northern Pacific Railway, and Miss Ray Lamb. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Joseph Hogg, and Miss Annie Lamb assisted the bride. Mr. and Mrs. McKay have taken up their residence in Brandon. The bride is well and favorably known in Moose Jaw, having resided here some two years ago.

**Peterborough Review:** Patrick Hick, an aged resident of Emily, died Tuesday at the advanced age of 83 years. He was a native of the County of Cork, Ireland, and came to Canada in 1825 and located in Emily. He leaves a wife and a family composed of Mrs. Thos. Franks, John Hickey, Michael Hickey, Thos. Hickey and Edward Hickey, of Emily; Mrs. Thos. Franks, of Moose Jaw; Wm. Hickey, of Filfield, Wis.; Patrick Hickey, of Geneva, N. Y.; Mrs. C. Flynn, Stewart St., Peterborough. Deceased was the grandfather of Messrs. Thos. Robt. Jas. and Wm. Franks, of Moose Jaw.

### Those Who Passed.

The following are the successful candidates, who wrote on the mid summer examinations at Moose Jaw:—

Third Class—Wm. Manns, T. H. Porter, and Mary Wilson.

Entrance—Ethel Beard, Nelson Brown, Hugh Ivor, and Jno. Rollo.

Promotion—J. McLean and Gertie Rorison.

### What's in the Sack?

An exchange tells a story of a boy who went to market with a sack of rabbits and lingered around town all day. When asked by his mother why he had not sold the rabbits he said no one had asked him what was in the sack. How many merchants are like this boy? They have plenty of goods for sale, but fail to tell the people "what's in the sack." If you expect to sell goods in this day and age of the world you must open your sack and keep shouting the merits of your stock in trade.

### A Pleasing Presentation.

About noon yesterday a number of our prominent bachelors were seen marching down Main street with a handsome new baby carriage, and naturally much curiosity was aroused at such an unusual occurrence. Arriving at the C.P.R. depot, they there waited patiently for the Station Agent for some time. On Mr. Stevenson's arrival he was taken into the waiting room and there made the recipient of the carriage, in honor of the pleasing event recorded in another column. Owing to his being taken by surprise, Mr. Stevenson did not make a very eloquent reply, and judging by the laughter it was difficult to decide which were the most amused—the donors of the carriage or the happy father.

### The Protest Entered.

A protest against the return of Mr. Davin, as representative of West Assiniboia, was filed yesterday afternoon in the office of Mr. Dixie Watson, Clerk of the Supreme Court. Mr. Jno. McDougall is the petitioner. Mr. H. A. Robson, agent for the petitioner, served the necessary notifications upon Mr. Davin shortly after. There is quite a flurry in Davinian circles where it was thought that proceedings had been abandoned. There is not the least doubt that the protest will be successful, as almost every provision of the law has been violated. A mass of evidence has been quietly accumulated, and the readiness with which reliable people volunteer information shows how prevalent is the feeling that the popular will must not be stifled by means of corrupt practices and official interference.

### To Abolish the Pay Car.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company have adopted the system of paying all their employees by cheque, addressed to each official from the treasury office, Montreal, instead of sending out four pay cars each month from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and running the risk of having the cash pounced upon by highwaymen, or some dishonest official, as was the case of Harry Noad, whose arrest was made in New York a few weeks ago. So far the change has been carried into effect from Fort William eastward to Halifax, but Mr. Taylor, the treasurer of the Company, has said that the new system would, in the new future be put into operation over the entire road from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Mr. Taylor explained that the cheques were drawn on the Bank of Montreal, but the company had made arrangements with all the banks in the Dominion, so that the cheques in question may be taken anywhere at par. It appears that all the leading railways of the United States have discarded the pay cars and introduced the cash system instead and that the Grand Trunk Railway Company were about two months ahead of their big rival in putting the improved system into force.

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